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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:)
MAZZONI ET AL.)
Serial No. 10/088,387)
Filing Date: MARCH 18, 2002)
For: A DEVICE FOR SENDING/RECEIVING)
DIGITAL DATA CAPABLE OF)
PROCESSING DIFFERENT BIT)
RATES, IN PARTICULAR IN A VDSL)
ENVIRONMENT)

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Sir:

Applicant's respectfully requests refund of fees charged to its deposit account no. 01-0484, based on the remarks set forth below.

REMARKS

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